

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 7107

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the Unicoi County Little League softball team upon winning the 2023 State Championship.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are pleased to specially honor and commend those successful young athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, the Unicoi County Little League softball team- players are such estimable athletes who recently won the Tennessee State Championship for the third consecutive year in yet another display of dominance on the softball diamond at the highest level of competition; and

WHEREAS, the young women from Unicoi County defeated Spring Hill in the championship game by a score of 4-0 to punch their ticket to proudly represent the State of Tennessee in the Southeast Regional in Warner Robins, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding group of young ladies enjoyed the expertise and knowledge of Head Coach Seth Jones; and

WHEREAS, the members of the State Champion Unicoi County Little League softball team are Ayla Horney, Mallory Nuckols, Madison Van Tassell, Lucy Jo Linville, Deanna Gill, Abigail Peterson, Olivia Jones, Laci Gobble, Willow Bennett, Emma Grace Anders, Olivia Nasser, and Ava Hanson; and

WHEREAS, displaying great sportsmanship and outstanding character, both individually and collectively, the members of the Unicoi County Little League softball team and their coaches conducted themselves in a manner appropriate to the integrity of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Unicoi County Little League softball team displayed uncommon talent, determination, and perseverance in their quest for athletic excellence, and it is wholly fitting that they be recognized for this remarkable achievement; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and congratulate the players and coaches of the Unicoi County Little League softball team on winning the 2023 State Championship, applauding their dedication to excellence, both on the field and off, and extending our best wishes for their continued success in all future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.